

1 General, he has the full stature of an attorney serving
2 one loyalty, serving one purpose, and acting for the
3 best interests of his client, and when that client is
4 through with him he is gone.

5 I say to you that every man, and particularly
6 every Governor, should have the right to hire his own
7 lawyer, but I say to you just as earnestly he should
8 certainly have the right to fire his own lawyer.

9 I ask this Convention to bear close, careful
10 scrutiny to this point. It isn't a simple point. It
11 has been labored with before.

12 I would ask you to give your most careful
13 consideration to the amendment which I have proposed.

14 THE CHAIRMAN: Are there any questions of the
15 sponsor of the amendment?

16 Delegate Clagett?

17 Delegate Clagett: Delegate Jett, would you
18 agree to substitute the language of Delegate Johnson's
19 Amendment No. 3 which has just been approved 118 to 2,
20 in line 9, to strike the words "must be a citizen of"
21 and insert in lieu thereof "shall have been a qualified